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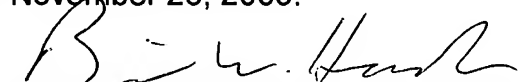
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Mail Stop Amendment

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 28, 2005 and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on September 28, 2005. Applicants submit the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. Also submitted with this amendment is a Request for Two-month Extension with the required fee, to extend the period of reply to November 28, 2005. Applicants believe this amendment places the application in better condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings: Please replace the previously filed drawing Figure 4 with the clean version of the amended drawing Figure 4 attached hereto in an appendix following the last page of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.